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July 2, 2012

## **BY HAND**

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> St., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Frontier Communications Submission in Response to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Commission's Report and Order in WC Docket No. 10-90, Frontier Communications Corp. hereby files its report and certifications as required by sections 54.313(a)(2-6) and (h) of the Commission's rules as directed by the Public Notice issued May 8, 2012 (DA 12-729). A copy of this report is also being filed with the Universal Service Administrative Company and each State public service commission in which Frontier operates as an ETC.

Portions of this submission include confidential information that is filed pursuant to the Commission's September 16, 2010 Protective Order in this docket. Specifically, Frontier requests confidential treatment of the detailed reporting of outages lasting longer than 30 minutes in 2011, which includes the location, cause, duration and efforts taken to prevent further outages. This information is competitively sensitive and is not normally released to the public; release of such sensitive data could give Frontier's competitors an advantage in the markets described therein. The non-redacted portions have been marked as confidential. Frontier requests that the documents marked as confidential be withheld from public inspection. Frontier is also filing a redacted copy of this report for public inspection.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> *In re*: Developing a Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers; Connect America Fund; High-Cost Universal Service Support; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future, CC Dkt. No. 01-92, WC Dkt. Nos. 07-135, 10-90, 05-337, GN Dkt. No. 09-51, *Protective Order*, DA 10-1749, 25 FCC Rcd. 13160 (rel. Sep. 16, 2010).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Frontier notes that section 4.2 of the Commission's rules, which governs disruptions of communications service, states that reports of service disruptions are "presumed to be confidential." 47 C.F.R. § 4.2 (2012).

Please feel free to contact me with any further questions.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Attachment

cc: Lynn Hewitt Engledow